## What is claimed is:

- A dental impression material comprising a polyvinylsiloxane and a surfactant, wherein said surfactant imparts wettability to the composition, such that the material has a surface contact angle with water of less than about 50 degrees after about 3 minutes.
- A dental impression material as in claim 1, wherein said surfactant imparts wettability to the composition, such that the material has a surface contact angle with water of less than about 10 degrees after about 30 seconds.
- 3. A dental impression material as in claim 1, wherein said surfactant imparts wettability to the composition, such that the material has a surface contact angle with water of about 2 degrees at about 30 seconds.
- 4. A dental impression material as in claim 1, wherein said surfactant is PEG-8 methicone.